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Re: Chemical Recovery Systems Superfund Site in Elyria, Ohio

Dear Ms. Sheppard-Johnson:

Following up on my voicemail of yesterday, would you please send a copy of the CD that TechLaw prepared to reflect the revised corrections on the above-noted site to Heidi Hughes Bumpers (see attached letter from EPA).

Also, would you please have your records changed to reflect Ms. Heidi Hughes Bumpers (Firestone) correct address:

Heidi Hughes Bumpers, Esq.  
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Sincerely,

Priscilla Jane Pena  
Secretary to Heidi Hughes Bumpers



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REPLY TO THE ATTENTION OF:

Jones, Day, Reavis & Pogue  
Attn: Heidi Hughes Bumpers  
901 Lakeside Ave.  
Cleveland, OH 44114-1190  
(re: Firestone)

**Re: Chemical Recovery Systems Superfund Site in Elyria, Ohio**

This letter is being sent to all identified potentially responsible parties (PRPs) at the Chemical Recovery Systems Superfund Site (Site) located in Elyria, Ohio. I am enclosing with this letter a revised copy of the volumetric ranking prepared for this Site by U.S. EPA and its contractor, TechLaw Inc. This copy of the volumetric ranking enclosed reflects corrections made in the last two weeks.

Since the last version of this ranking, mailed to you in October, Techlaw has identified and corrected a data sort error which occurred in one database and resulted in the mismatching of certain records with PRP names. This only directly affected identified PRPs where some of their transactions with the Site were recorded as Scrap Solvent for Reclamation. A limited number of these PRPs will see the volumes attributed to them have changed.

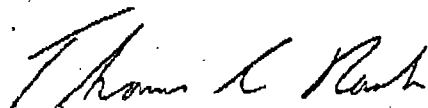
A secondary effect of the corrections was the identification of new matches between Dirty Inventory lists and accounting records. These matches were missed until now because the data sort error prevented Techlaw from identifying them. As a result the revised ranking enclosed eliminates a few more duplicate records of transactions. This results in a small decrease in total Site volume. As a consequence, there is a very slight increase in percentage for all PRPs whose volume has not changed in this ranking.

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As noted in my last letter, the computer databases which TechLaw developed to display the digitized information from the accounting records, together with associated tables created from those databases to analyze the data, were burned onto a compact disk(CD). The CD has been

revised to reflect the corrections made by Techlaw. A copy of that CD is available from the Agency upon request. If you wish to have a copy of that CD, please call Deena Sheppard-Johnson at 312-886-7048. If you have already requested a copy of that CD, a copy of the revised CD is enclosed.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Thomas C. Nash".

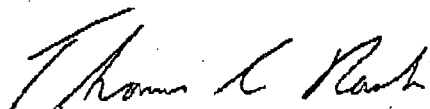
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